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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I oppose the USTelecom petition. We had little choice in our internet provider, and there were even successful effort to prevent competitors to access utility poles. Finally I found a small provider that gives me a better price and impressive customer service. Please support broadband competition and oppose the USTelecom petition.

Thank you.

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